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IN REPLY  
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**MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDERS, DEFENSE CONTRACT MANAGEMENT  
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**SUBJECT: DCMC Policy Letter No. 96-39, Class Deviation--Reutilization Screening for  
Department of Defense (DoD) Special Tooling (ST) (POLICY)**

This is a POLICY memorandum. It expires when content is included in DLAD 5000.4, Contract Management (One Book), not to exceed one year. Target Audience: All DCMC Employees.

On July 29, 1996, the Director, Defense Procurement, issued a class deviation to stop the screening of DoD ST with the General Services Administration (Attachment). Plant Clearance Officers (PLCOs) will still establish a plant clearance case and perform agency screening of ST. Immediately following agency screening, the PLCO shall take action to direct the final disposal of the remaining ST.

Please ensure this information is disseminated to your PLCOS. If you have any questions, please call Ms. Janice Hawk, Payment, Closeout and Property Team, on DSN 427-3433 or (703) 767-3433.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Robert W. Drewes", is positioned above the printed name.

**ROBERT W. DREWES**  
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Attachment



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July 29, 1996

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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTORS OF DEFENSE AGENCIES  
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DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE  
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SUBJECT: Class Deviation--Reutilization Screening for Department of  
Defense (DoD) Special Tooling

Effective immediately, all military departments and defense agencies shall use only the agency screening procedures prescribed in Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 45.608-3 for DoD special tooling. The limited screening prescribed in FAR 45.608-1(b) and 45.608-4 is not required for DoD special tooling.

FAR 45.608-1(b) and 45.608-4 require a 30-day General Services Administration (GSA) reutilization screening period following a 30-day agency screening period for excess special tooling. The Acting Administrator, GSA, has exempted DoD special tooling from the GSA reutilization screening process; but still requires the 30-day agency screening prescribed in FAR 45.608-3. I am, therefore, authorizing this deviation from the requirements in FAR 45.608-1(b) and 45.608-4 for DoD special tooling.

This class deviation is approved for a one-year period ending July 31, 1997, or until the DFARS is revised, whichever event occurs first.

Eleanor R. Spector  
Director, Defense Procurement



ATTACHMENT